

**STAR THEATRE**  
—Today—  
**DOUGLAS McLEAN** in  
"CHICKENS"  
A Thos. H. Ince production of  
the Saturday Evening Post  
story "Yanco Yillies"—Doug-  
las McLean's best comedy.  
—Also—  
"A DEVILISH ROMEO"  
Fox Sunshine Comedy

# THE ALBANY-DECATUR DAILY

DEVOTED TO THE INTERESTS AND UPBUILDING OF ALBANY, ALABAMA, AND DECATUR, ALABAMA.  
ALBANY, ALABAMA, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1921  
PRICE FIVE CENTS

**Princess Theater**  
Today  
WALLACE REID in  
"The Charm School"  
The public is cordially invited  
to attend each session, and  
may laugh without restraint.  
—Also—  
"FANTOMAS"  
And a GOOD COMEDY

## HUNDREDS OF LIVES ARE LOST IN TEXAS FLOOD

### LARGEST CROWD IN REVIVAL'S HISTORY HEARD EVANGELIST ON FRIDAY NIGHT

Earnest Address by Bob Jones  
Urges Abundant Entrance  
Into Kingdom  
**PERSONAL WORK BY  
CHRISTIANS IS URGED**  
Christ, Himself, is the One Pos-  
sion Needed, the Evan-  
gelist Declares

- Sunday Program**
1. Sunday afternoon, Sept. 11th the service in the tabernacle at 3 P. M. is for men only. Boys under fourteen will not be admitted. At the same hour there will be a service for women over twenty-one at the Central Methodist Church, Albany conducted by Mrs. Bob Jones. Also at the same hour there will be a service for girls from twelve to twenty-one at the First Baptist church, Decatur, conducted by Mrs. Loren Jones.
  2. Monday night, Sept. 12th is "Sunday School Night" at the tabernacle. Meet at the appointed time and place as announced by your Sunday School Supt. and march to the tabernacle in one large delegation.
  3. Tuesday night, Sept. 13th all of the Odd Fellow Lodges and all the unions will be the special guests at the tabernacle.
  4. Wednesday night, Sept. 14th will be Out-of-town Night. All the nearby towns will be the special guests. Also the Masons and Eastern Star will occupy reserved seats that night.
  5. Thursday night, Sept. 15th all the Young Peoples societies of Albany and Decatur, the Post Office Employees and the J. O. U. A. M. will be the special guests.
  6. Friday night, Sept. 16th is High School Night. The business women of Albany and Decatur and The Funeral Benefit Association will be the special guests.

Bob Jones preached last night to the largest congregation in the history of the present revival, and to doubtless the largest religious gathering ever assembled in this community. He preached very earnestly urging an abundant entrance into the Kingdom of God; his text was concerning the words between a certain messenger of God, and a great diplomat who was riding in a chariot. The speaker stressed the fleeting character of opportunities. He said again and again that the Kingdom was a going, moving concern.

He said: "God's kingdom is on wheels." He compared the leisurely manner with church personal workers sought out their unsaved friends, with the way Philip, who was the messenger in the text, ran after the chariot of the Ethiopian statesman. The after meeting held last night was the first of its kind in the present meeting. Definite pledges were asked for the first time from any who would for all time accept Christ as their Savior, and about twenty so pledged themselves. In explaining what in the old days was called the "plan of Salvation," Mr. Jones said that Christ Himself was the one possession needed.

He said that of course, all must have pardon and forgiveness, but that Christ was the forgiver, and that those who accepted Him, had forgiveness. He stated people said that they needed a new nature, but that Christ Himself in them, was this new nature. He asked why should people say so much that they needed a blessing "when they could have the Blessing"? He said we must all be born again; but that the heavenly birth, "was only Jesus in the soul". The evangelist pleaded with his hearers to believe Jesus when he said: "He that cometh unto me, I will in no wise cast out." He said impressively: "Now, if you know anybody that no one seems to want go to him and say that Jesus would like to have him".

The choir left packed  
The climax of the song service was

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### Births Greatly in Excess of Deaths in Lawrence Co.

Register Reports 17  
Births Against  
2 Deaths  
(Special to The Daily)  
MOULTON, Ala. September 10.—W. E. Moles, the register of vital statistics reports there were but two deaths and seventeen births during the month of August in his territory comprising the Moulton, Morris Chapel and Mountain Home precincts. The number of deaths is the smallest reported for one month during the time records have been kept for the territory covered.

The Farmers' Union for Lawrence county held its county convention at Speake school house Thursday with the county president, T. F. Almon, presiding. The attendance was small owing in great part to the heavy rains of that day and the day preceding. A great part of the day was in open session with talks from the county lecturer, James Byars, and by the county superintendent, of education, Earl M. Hodson. The next county meeting is to be held at Salem, three miles northwest of Moulton, in December.

### ARRANGEMENTS GO FORWARD FOR THE SUNDAY EDITION

The Daily today had practically completed arrangements for the inauguration of the Sunday edition of this newspaper and now is awaiting only the receipt of machinery to announce the date of the first publication.

Orders have been placed for such additional equipment, including among other things a complete casting box and "router." The addition of these mechanical appliances will enable The Daily to cast its own cuts.

Contracts have been made for a feature news service and for a four page comic section. The comic section, however, will be printed in The Daily office and will be in black and white only. The feature service will include not only material for the Sunday issue, but for the week day issues as well.

Contracts also have been made with the International News Service to furnish an up-to-the-minute "spot" news service by wire every Saturday night. The Daily does not expect to try to compete with the Sunday editions of papers of the larger cities of the South in volume of pages, but it does expect to compete with them on the quality of its pages.

### BENTON CONFERS WITH SEC. WEEKS

(International News Service)  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—George R. Benton, manager of the Hillman hotel of Birmingham and competitive bidder with Henry Ford for the Muscle Shoals nitrate plant, conferred today with Secretary of War Weeks. Benton said he laid all cards on the table and seemed optimistic over his chances of getting the plant.

Benton refused to tell newspaper correspondents whom he represented in the offer.

### Cordial Welcome Accorded Charley

LONDON, England, Sept. 10.—A welcome exceeding anything ever given to royalty was accorded Charley Chaplin, the famous American screen comedian when he arrived in London today from New York. Charley wept at the cordiality of the tremendous ovation and finally had to be rescued from the immense crowd by a detachment of police.

Thousands of men, women and children surged forward, attempting to embrace the comedian and shake him by the hand. There were shouts of "hello Charley, don't throw any pies".

### BIG FOUR CONFERS SOON TO MAP OUT NATION'S POLICY IN ARMAMENT MEET

Immense Amount of Preparatory Work Now Confronts the Delegation  
**SENATOR UNDERWOOD NAMED ON COMMISSION**  
Date of First Meeting Has Not Been Determined by Members

(International News Service)  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—The American "Big Four," Secretary of State Hughes, Elihu Root, Senator Cabot Lodge and Senator Oscar W. Underwood, of Alabama, shortly will begin a series of preliminary conferences to determine upon the policies to be pursued in the November disarmament and far east conference, it was said today.

A tremendous amount of preparatory work confronts the American delegation and it is President Harding's expressed wish that the American delegates begin their labors sufficiently early to enable them to approach the conference with a full grasp of all the conditions that are likely to arise.

The date of the first meeting has not been determined and may not be announced, but all the members will begin preparing for their work at once. It is considered as certain that General John J. Pershing will be the chief military adviser for this country.

Associated with him will be several of the officers closely associated with him in the conduct of the American Expeditionary Forces.

The make-up of the foreign delegations is not yet known in Washington. Officials said today they had not been officially advised concerning the foreign personnel. The selection and announcement of the American representatives two months in advance of the date of the conference will give Paris, London and Tokio an opportunity to make their selections with an eye to comparisons.

Secretary of State Hughes already has held several long conversations with Elihu Root and Senator Henry Cabot Lodge concerning the forthcoming work. Senator Underwood, the Democratic member, will be brought into these conversations as soon as he returns from his home in Alabama where he has been for some weeks.

### Charles McDowell In Political Arena

Charles McDowell, prominent Eufaula attorney, has entered the political arena and today announced his candidacy for the office of lieutenant-governor, subject to the action of the Democratic primary next year. Mr. McDowell, who is a native Alabamian, is a former president of the Alabama Bar Association and at present is a distinguished member of the state senate. He is widely known over the state and his friends predict he will make a strong bid for the office.

### General Pershing Will Visit Europe

(International News Service)  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—General John J. Pershing will sail for Europe September 14, the war department announced today. The primary purpose of the General's trip is to place a medal on the grave of the unknown French dead at the ceremonies in Paris on October 2.

He also will inspect the American graves and the American forces now on the Rhine. General Pershing may visit England before his return on November 11.

### MATLOCK'S READY FOR THE BOYS

"It does seem like good old times to see such little prices for boy's suits," stated J. P. Matlock today. "Matlock's cash store is ready to supply the little fellows."

## San Antonio Caught in Grip Of Suddenly Rising Waters

### BOB JONES WILL DELIVER ADDRESS OPENING SCHOOLS AT AUSTINVILLE

Significant Phases of Education Will be Discussed by Evangelist  
**COUNTY BOARD WILL  
OUTLINE ITS PLANS**  
Patrons of School Urged to be Present by Supt. Weaver

The Austinville school is peculiarly fortunate in having Rev. Bob Jones deliver the opening address Monday Sept. 12th, according to an announcement today by E. E. Weaver, Supt. Mr. Jones is greatly interested in education and will discuss some significant phases of education with the patrons and pupils at that time. The chairman of the County Board of Education will be present to give the board plans for this and other junior high schools.

"I want at least one parent or guardian of each student to be present at the opening," Prof. Weaver said.

"Advance announcements have already been made but come and hear existing conditions outlined and the plans and policies of this year announced. Nothing is more important than the education of your children but school life is a partnerships business and it is absolutely necessary to have the cooperation of the homes in a successful school year.

Your presence as patrons and friends is urged. School will begin at eight thirty and the address will be given at nine at the Methodist church."

### RUTH GUSSMAN SAYS SHE'LL TALK

(International News Service)  
BIRMINGHAM, Sept. 10.—"Horrid newspaper reporters" were the cause of Ruth Stephenson Gussman leaving Birmingham and seeking the quiet of Loretto, Tenn., according to a letter alleged to have been written by Mrs. Gussman to a friend here today.

"Rumors that a reconciliation has been affected between my parents and myself and that I will not testify when my father goes on trial October 17 for the murder of Father Coyne are false.

"I will remain true to my religion and will testify at the trial if the prosecuting attorney wishes me to," the letter read.

Mrs. Gussman declared that she was in a good Catholic town and with friends. She declared that the continual hounding by horrid newspaper reporters was responsible for her leaving Birmingham. Rev. Edwin R. Stephenson, a Protestant minister and father of Mrs. Gussman will be tried for murder in the second degree October 17 for the alleged killing of Father James Coyle, a Catholic priest here August 11.

### Season Opens With Excellent Show

The 1921-22 season was opened at the Princess theatre last night with Lassies White's minstrels, an excellent entertainment. The organization renders one of the brightest and most entertaining minstrel programs seen here in many years. Lassies was the same Lassies and the audience was loath to allow him to leave the stage at any time. He has surrounded himself by a capable cast and the entertainment was thoroughly enjoyed by a fairly large audience.

### MISS BURGESS WILL BE HONOR GUEST OF THE KIWANIS CLUB

Popular Actress Will be Entertained on Her Visit Here

Miss Hazle Burgess and her entire company will be guests of the morning Kiwanis club at dinner Monday evening at 6 P. M. in the Albany chamber of commerce rooms, it was announced today. The occasion also will be a kind of informal "Ladies Nite" for the club and an invitation was extended to all of the members to bring "your wife or lady friend."

Ed Baird sends out the following invitation to the membership: Listen Al, the old gray goose has honked and I'm here to tell you an ear full. You remember Al, I said something about meeting on Monday next week. Well Monday it is and don't tell me I haven't told you. Monday is the day the Chamber of Commerce is the place and six o'clock P. M. is the hour.

How listen further little one. This is not ladies night—but you are requested to bring your wife or a lady friend. Now get this straight. This is no doll up robbin tell, billed shirt affair and you tell the ladies I said so. It is strictly a good time informal affair of an hour or so duration with something to eat and some high class entertainment. You will have to pay extra for your wife at the reg-

### ASSEMBLING POINTS FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL MEMBERS ARE SET

- Sunday school night will be observed at Bob Jones Tabernacle, Monday night and all members of Sunday schools over 12 years of age in Albany were invited to meet at the Y. M. C. A. lawn so that they may start the march by 7 o'clock.
- "Each school will march together and carry a banner with the name of your school on it. Below is shown the assembling places for each school, be on time please," said the announcement of the following committee:
- J. F. Lovin, David Gibson, J. E. Howell.
- Assembling places for the Sunday schools for the Bob Jones parade:
- No. 1 First Christian, Wheeler Park.
  - No. 2 West Side Presbyterian, North Side Jackson street.
  - No. 3 First Baptist, North side Jackson street behind No. 2.
  - No. 4 Westminster Pres. South Side Jackson street.
  - No. 5 Associate Reform Press South Side Jackson Street behind No. 4.
  - No. 6 South side Baptist, North side Gordon drive.
  - No. 7 Willoughby Presbyterian, North Side Gordon Drive behind No. 6.
  - No. 8 Ninth Street Methodist, South Side Gordon Drive.
  - No. 9 Austinville Methodist, Front of High school building behind No. 8.
  - No. 10 Austinville Baptist, West side Second Ave., by billboards.
  - No. 11 Fairview, Second Ave. front of car barn.
  - No. 12 Moulton Heights Baptist, front of car barn behind No. 11.
  - No. 13 Central Baptist, front of Gordon school building.
  - No. 14 Central Methodist, front of Y. M. C. A. inside the inclusive.

### FREE ICE CREAM CONES TO CHILDREN

The Decatur Drug Company, with their usual liberality, announce a free ice cream cone to every child making a purchase at their place of business, on Monday. "Any and every child will be as welcome as the flowers in May" stated Mr. Gilbert today.



MISS HAZELE BURGESS

ular guest charge. Don't make any mistake about that and as a suggestion there will be a jug at the door and a guy with eagle eyes watching it. So come with thin dimes enough to pay your wife's way in. Let me know by phone if you will be there with your wife.

I have said my say, except our meeting will be over in time for the tabernacle meeting.

Affectionately,  
E. F. BAIRD

### JAPAN HAS SENT NOTE TO CHINESE AS A PEACE STEP

(International News Service)  
TOKIO, Japan, Sept. 10.—Japan has sent a note to China, outlining the basis and conditions upon which Japan will withdraw from Shantung peninsula and the Chinese government at Peking now has the communication under consideration, it was stated today in authoritative quarters.

The Japanese government also has sent notes to the United States and Great Britain, explaining the terms on which Japan promises to leave the Shantung peninsula. Despite protests from a section of the public, the Japanese government is going ahead with its efforts to settle the Yap island, Shantung and Sizerian issues before the disarmament conference opens in Washington in November.

### OVERHEAD WIRE HITS SHOW CAR

(International News Service)  
STAMFORD, Conn., Sept. 10.—Two negroes were killed, another badly injured and Mrs. Reuben Burdett, of Montgomery, Ala., and Miss Marie Stirling, of Rock Hill, S. C., seriously injured this afternoon when a car, part of a train carrying a carnival show from Hartford, Conn., to Redding, Pa., came in contact with an overhead electric wire on the New Haven railroad west of Norton, Conn. The car was enveloped in a sheet of flame and all the occupants, numbering between 50 and 60, were shocked or burned.

### BELETED REPORTS ON THE PRIZE-WINNERS

Beleted reports show the following prize winners for Labor Day.

First Prize for sale of Refreshments—Blanche Cline.

Second Prize for sale of Refreshments—Elizabeth Dobbs—\$10.00

Lucky Number winner, J. N. Simpson, \$5.00.

Most attractive float in parade, Carpenter's and Joiner's Union—\$20

### ESTIMATE OF DEAD RUN AS HIGH AS 500 AND RELIEF WORK IS QUICKLY UNDERWAY

Every Building in Business District Under Ten Feet of Water  
**SOLDIERS ARE RUSHED TO CITY TO STOP LOOTERS**  
Wild Rumors of Death List Fill City With Newspapers Down

(International News Service)  
SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Sept. 10.—With the estimate of dead running as high as 500 and property damage believed to exceed \$10,000,000, this city today was in the grip of the worst flood in its history.

Every building in the business district stood in water ten feet deep during the high water mark of the raging waters, while a vast section of the residential district was submerged.

Five bridges, spanning the San Antonio river in the center of the city, were destroyed by the waters. Telephone and telegraph communication, trolley service and electric lights and power are out of commission. The three newspapers were flooded and were unable to publish and with no news facilities, wild rumors filled the city and relief work was badly handicapped.

Soldiers from Camp Travis and Fort Sam Houston were rushed to the city to prevent looting. Red Cross workers were ordered to the city by Commander General John H. Hines to assist in the relief work. The rise of the river began at ten o'clock last night. Before citizens realized the danger a wall of water rushed through the streets and the inhabitants were held powerless in their homes.

At 4 o'clock this morning the raging waters reached their height and began to slowly recede. As the torrent swept through the streets, entire families could be seen floating on the roofs of houses in the midst of the rushing waters. The great loss of life, which will not be accurately known for days, is due to the fact that the river rose so suddenly that no warnings could be sent out. sleeping inhabitants were aroused by the roar of the waters to find themselves surrounded by the flood. Guests in the three big hotels in the downtown section were massed on upper floors as the waters rose and put elevators and stairs out of commission.

The flood came from an unprecedentedly rainy, which caused a quick rise in the San Antonio river and Alazan creek. At 9:30 this morning relief work was under systematic way. Boats were at work taking people from homes which had withstood the water while guards were patrolling the edges of the various areas inundated by the waters.

From every part of the flooded area reports of dead bodies are being gathered for identification. The greatest loss of life was in the Mexican settlement in the western part of the city, where the flood waters engulfed hundreds of homes of people before their occupants had a chance to escape.

A deadline was established around the flood area by military authorities at noon today. Soldiers and police then began to drive all persons out of the area. Thousands of spectators and homeless refugees were in the area and were hampering the work of searching for dead bodies.

Bodies of 33 dead have been recovered. Mayor Black called a meeting of citizens at the city hall at noon to organize the relief work. Army field kitchens have been put into service throughout the city.



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## A NEW NEWSPAPER VENTURE ON A LARGE SCALE

It is reported that William G. McAdoo and Barney Baruch are about to establish a great daily newspaper in New York city. It is believed that they expect to go in for a journal that will have such a commanding influence in America, as The London Times has in England, or Clemenceau's paper, L'Homme Libre in Paris.

It is said to be the intention of the gentlemen in question to exploit and give wide publicity to the Wilsonian policies of government and his philosophy of international relations. At first blush it would seem that such a publication by Messrs. McAdoo and Baruch, would meet with instant success. Both are men of consummate ability, and they would have an endless supply of money at their command. They could publish as good a paper as America affords, and since the newspaper of this country are given up to be better than those of Europe, why not such a success for the proposed new paper, as is enjoyed by the greatest dailies of England and France? Such a success might be attained; but it is doubtful. In the first place America is too big a country to be served by one great daily. The distances are too great. By the time news sent out in a daily printed in New York reaches states over a day's ride from New York, it would be old news. And who would read an old daily even if Mr. McAdoo edited it?

As long as the people are bent on knowing what is going on immediately, "if not sooner," there will remain a bar against any one daily gaining wide influence in America. Perhaps, if there is a way invented to send such a paper as is planned, by airplane or by some even swifter means, such big dailies might thrive; but until such a time physical difficulties bar the way.

England and France are compact countries, their people speak the same language, and have the same interests. In the United States, we have an empire of people rather than a small nation of people. The interests of all are greatly diversified and this would make it hard for one publication to serve acceptably. As for the paper in question putting out the Wilson ideas, or those of any man or group of men—if the people once got the idea they were being fed on propaganda, they would have none of it. As long as we were in war, propaganda would go, and nothing said, but in these days anything that smacks of a preconceived plan to influence a large percent of the people, will be disliked and regarded with deep suspicion. The very largeness of America, stands in the way of a nation wide paper such as the one credited to McAdoo and Baruch.

## CONGRESSMAN ALMON IS VERY OPTIMISTIC

Congressman Edward B. Almon, Eighth district representative, will come to the Twin Cities next week and local residents are looking forward with much interest to his visit. He will be able to give us much first-hand information regarding the situation in Washington affecting the Muscle Shoals project. Mr. Almon is very optimistic over the outlook and is quoted in The Florence Herald as follows:

Congressman Ed. B. Almon is at home for the recess period of Congress. He was in Florence this week and we had the pleasure of talking with him a short time. Mr. Almon had an interview with President Harding a few days before Congress adjourned for the recess, in regard to completing the dams on the Tennessee River and operating the nitrate plants. President Harding assured Mr. Almon that the water power of Muscle Shoals would be developed and the nitrate plants operated. The President sees the necessity of completing Wilson dam and operating the nitrate plants and gave Mr. Almon to understand it was his desire and wish that he would give his influence to that end. Congressman Almon feels that Mr. Ford's bid will be seriously considered by both the President and Secretary Weeks and that its acceptance, with some changes, by the government, now looks most favorable. Congressman Almon is a most earnest worker for the development of the water power of Muscle Shoals and the full operation of the nitrate plants. It is the only sensible thing to do. The farmers need cheaper fertilizers, and in case of war sometime in the future, but we hope it may never occur, the government will need explosives.

## BISHOP GAILOR ON POLITICS.

The Right Reverend Thomas F. Gailor, president of the council of bishops of the Protestant Episcopal Church, in a recent address to the Pacific coast synod, took the opportunity to touch upon the questions of the day.

One would gather from the bishop's address that he classes himself politically among that great body of independents which is popularly supposed to hold the balance of power in this country.

But if he declines to be classified as a Democrat or a Republican, there will be none who will dispute the fact that he enunciated good Democratic doctrine when he said:

I want to say that politicians of both parties have played politics with the good name and the conscience of this country. Whatever in the League of Nations was repugnant could have been written out, but to refuse to countenance any measure for universal peace was nothing but a delusion

every principle for which this country went to war.

Bishop Gailor, we are sure, voices the sentiment of the majority of the people of this country in indorsing the League of Nations and condemning those who have prevented the entry of the United States into that association of states for world peace.

He also delivers a blow straight from the shoulder at George Harvey, Nicholas Murray Butler and others who have, without protest from the administration, sought to label the American people with the declaration that they entered the war from a selfish purpose.

Bishop Gailor may be shy on party dogma, but he is richly endowed with horse sense.—Nashville Tennessean.

The Chicago Tribune has cut down on space allowed for sports. That paper would not be against Henry Ford if it were a good sport.

Of course the passing of the saloon has carried down some businesses with it, such as the poor house enterprises, the criminal courts and many jail boarding houses have had to close.

Modern science seems to be against the bath tub, to this the small boy will raise no objection.

The hustler is always bedeviled, worried more or less, and generally perplexed, but who wouldn't be a hustler?

If the women were suddenly called upon to hide out defenders of liberty as was sometimes the case in the Revolutionary war, they would find their present skirts entirely inadequate.

If Russia could pass laws against hunger, that would prohibit its presence, Mr. Hoover and his relief committee could take their vacation.

Mr. Bryan has lately declared himself an optimist, which is his way of announcing to the world that he has raised his heart from the grave.

Almost everything can be made from cotton except money has been the verdict of the farmer until the last few days.

It looks like the pedestrians will have to buy an automobile as a matter of self preservation.

The end of business depression—you see it every body sees it—straight ahead.

Angora has fallen to the Greeks; which being interpreted means the Turks have had their goat taken.

As hard as it is for the farmer to raise things, it is difficult to realize how easily the government can raise taxes.

## A TRAIN OF THOUGHTS FOR SABBATH AND OTHER DAYS

By J. E. Blair

Apostolic succession is important, as you succeed to the ideas of the Apostles, as you succeed to the same throne of sound reason occupied by them; as you indulge in the same immortal hopes and worship at the same shrine! In a word you must be the spiritual descendants of the early Apostles! You must have their attitude toward the fallen and the weak! You must love enemy people as they did, and your heart must ache against the destruction of the wicked!

If you are in line of apostolic succession, you will have the Apostolic fortitude when wrongfully attacked, and you will seek to bless those that persecute you! Notice how the greatest of the Apostles felt apropos of the underhanded work done against him by a certain working man: "Alexander the coppersmith did me much evil: The Lord reward him according to his works." How do you like this example of Paul's attitude toward the weak. He was on the way up to Jerusalem—it might have been at the time he was taking that collection to the poor saints living there. He was importuned by certain of his friends to stay away from the Holy city, lest he meet a violent death. But Paul says Acts 21-13, "What mean ye to weep and break mine heart, for I am ready not to be bound only, but also to die at Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus."

Do you have the same bright future hopes as St. Paul? He went so far as to say: "We are saved by hope," meaning by that lively hope that is instilled into believers by the Holy spirit. We must have the faith of the Apostles, not just the beliefs about theology that men "say" they held! Paul gave the best definition of faith on record. He said it was the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. He did not say faith was a denominational belief! You must have the same kind of faith Paul had, if you make Apostolic succession a personal matter. He had an audacious faith. He thought to take the Roman empire for Christ, and he was "minded to go into Spain also." Paul's faith built the first castles in Spain! Mr. Jones says Paul was near-sighted, but he was far visioned! Paul's analytical mind, that differentiated love from every thing else, and it was his logic that put love first. Paul said that nothing was any good to him, unless he had love—Men not in Apostolic succession, do not see things that way. They will do the most unlovely things, to get mere property or worldly fame! One test alone, is enough—if you place love as high as Paul did, you are in line of Apostolic succession. But granted all this—what do mere descendants amount to any way? Those who really count are the spiritual fathers and mothers—those who are going to have Christian sons and daughters! The children of Abraham got in the way, and did a lot of damage, and today you will only spoil the scenery and be in the way yourself, if you are content to be just a successor of the Apostles. The main question is for the individual and the church, by the grace of God, can we be the ancestors of the Apostles of the future! It does not do much good to have great qualities, unless you can transmit them! If wisdom is to die with you, you are not very wise; if goodness is to die with you, you are not good at all!

## OFFICE CAT



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## POEM

"His talk I cannot understand,  
He's hoarse, is Oswald Rusky  
He drank a lot of corn juice and  
That's what made him so husky."

I know a man, who was so generous  
and yet so poor that when he died he  
called his children to his bedside and  
gave them all he had—smallpox.

The Kaiser's income has dwindled to  
a paltry \$600,000 a year, and just as  
soon as we rustle money to have our  
winter shoes half-soled we are going  
to take a little time off to feel sorry  
for this bird.

## IN THESE DAYS

"That woman is overdressed."  
"Let me see her. She's a rarity."

## DIAGNOSIS

It's very plain that Summer's wane  
is on," said Daisy Deever,  
"For shoes of white look like a fright,  
Straw hats have yellow fever."

"If our good intentions for the mor-  
row would only keep from souring  
over night!"

## THE TROUBLE WITH PARSONS

"Mamma, I've got a stomach-ache"  
said Nellie, six year old.

"That's because your stomach is  
empty: you've been without your  
lunch. You'd feel better if you had  
something in it."

That afternoon the pastor called  
and, in the course of conversation,  
complained of a very severe head-  
ache.

"That's because it's empty," said  
Nellie. "You'd feel better if you had  
something in it."

A man can no more be successful in  
his business if he does not love it than  
he can be happy in his home if he does  
not love his wife, and family.

Why does a man swear to love be-  
fore marriage and love to swear after  
marriage?

## IN DEFENDS OF BLONDES

There, little blonde, don't cry,  
They have knocked you so hard, I  
know

And your eyes of blue  
And your bobbed hair, too,  
They have lost you many a bean.  
But foolish notions will soon pass by  
There, little blonde, don't dry.

There, little blonde, don't cry.  
Men are such poor judges, you know.  
For they think that brains  
Go with dark haired dames,  
But not with the blondes, oh, no, no,  
But who wants a girl with brains  
not it,  
Don't cry little blonde, don't cry.

There, little blonde, don't cry.  
It's a case of sour grapes, I know.  
Men who've been turned down,  
Look on blondes with a frown,  
They're the ones who cause you woe,  
If the truth were told, 'tis for blondes  
they sigh,  
Don't cry, little blonde, don't cry.

There, little blonde, don't cry,  
They have broken your heart, I know  
With your powdered nose  
And your rolled down hose,  
You bother the dear men so  
Still, they're always ready to risk an  
eye,  
There, little blonde, don't cry

It now appears that our Shipping  
Board is a slipping board in some re-  
pects.

The Ladies—God dress 'em—We  
can't.

An old hen by mistake had been  
sewing on a "china egg" for months.  
One day she eyed it closely and said,  
"There must be Plymouth Rock blood  
in that egg."

When a St. Louis woman applied  
for a divorce from her sixth husband

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it was discovered that the divorce  
from her first husband was illegal and  
that made the whole flock of weddings  
phony. When one gets a divorce it's  
a good thing to have it fitted on so  
these will be no wrinkles. Just think  
of all the outlary that lady has been  
guilty of.

## ALARMING POSSIBILITY

(Paducah Sun)  
Is there any possibility that yeast  
eating might start something in viola-  
tion of the Volstead act?

An automobile is like a wife. The  
more you pay for it the harder it is  
to maintain.

## VILLAGE WIT

We present the celluloid piston to  
the small town displaying this sign:  
Go slow and see our town  
Go fast and see our jail.

The Elkhart, Ind. Truth teller can  
remember the days when human peo-  
ple used to insist on straw hats for  
houserees.

Why say bachelors and old maids  
are queer when in reality, old top,  
they are really very singular people?

## LIFE AS I SEE IT

I think a policeman ought to be

allowed time off to get her hair wash-  
ed.

## NOT UP ON SPORT STUFF

Billy—"You should have seen Billy  
run the quarter mile."

Milly—"What did she run it in?"

Billy—"It'll be darned if I know  
what you call 'em."

Meals at the Virginia Cafe in Mad-  
ison, S. C. are "40c and up." (Or, as  
they are sometimes called, "Transient  
meals.")

Dear Folks and All: What has become  
of the old-fashioned brewery float  
that used to be the feature of all the  
parades.

"They shall not pass" is a poor  
motto for a motorists or a school tea-  
cher.

## DESIGNER HERE TO

## SEE THE CITY

"I have heard so much of your city  
lately I just wanted to take a look at  
it," declared C. W. Kruger, "million  
dollar" designer for the Lauer Tailor-  
ing company of Cincinnati, as he  
dropped into the Rahm Clothing com-  
pany this morning. Mr. Kruger dis-  
sisted there was nothing more to his  
visit than a satisfaction of his curios-  
ity regarding a community which fur-  
nished so much business for his firm.

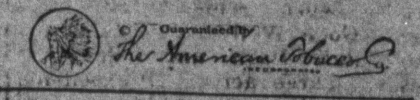
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## Look Who's Here Monday

IN PERSON

Mr. Kruger, Who Is Called the Million Dollar  
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from his offices, but has seen so many of his  
finest models delivered here that he says he  
wants to visit us for one day. Incidentally  
he writes us that he is bringing some of his  
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tion of those who have delayed thus far to  
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## FOR SALE

**FOR SALE**—The float used by the Carpenters on Labor Day, this miniature bungalow may be seen at the E. C. Payne Lumber Co. Any one wishing to buy this house may mail their bid to Chas. F. Lee, Sec'y No. 1030 Tower Ave. 10-17

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**WANTED**—Salesman with car for low priced 10,000 mile cord tires \$100.00 and expenses guaranteed with extra commissions. Traders Hydro-Vulcan Tire Co., Traders Bldg. Chicago. 10-13

**WANTED**—Salesman with car to call on dealers with a low priced 5000 mile tire. \$100.00 a week with extra commissions. Universal Tire & Rubber Co., Michigan City, Ind. 10-31

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## Probe Requested of Train Disaster

(International News Service)  
ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 10.—Governor Hardwick was today requested to appoint an impartial committee to investigate the alleged dynamiting of an A. B. and A. freight train Wednesday. The request was made by representatives of the International Association of Machinists. Labor men declare faulty rails was the cause of the wreck.

## Somerville News

Fred M. Swift, of Hartselle, was here this week on business.

Mrs. Albert Peck and children are at Mrs. May Peck's home, where Mrs. Albert Peck has been sick. She is improving.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Erial Peck a baby.

Little Dorothy May Winton, daughter of Mrs. N. E. Winton is sick with colitis.

Mrs. Mary Peck and Joe Winton received the sad news of the death Wednesday of their brother-in-law, Jacob Herron.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lang and Mrs. Mary Peck attended the funeral Thursday in Decatur of Mr. Jacob Herron.

Dr. C. F. Peck was in Hartselle Thursday on business.

Forrest Echols was in Hartselle on business Thursday.

The Holy Rollers are having a revival at Six Mile this week.

Misses Eliza McCauley, Lurline Wade, Messrs Bryan Abbott and Clifton Miller attended the meeting at Six Mile Wednesday night.

**Not Afraid of That End.**  
Gladya was visiting her grandfather's farm in Minnesota. They had a rather frisky dog with whom she used to play. One day as her grandfather came out of the house he discovered Gladya pulling the dog's tail, so he said: "The dog will bite you if you don't stop." Gladya looked up and said: "That end don't bite."—Chicago American.

**Smells Like Onion.**  
The kull of the Philippines and Malay Peninsula gives forth a strong aroma of onions, says the American Forestry Magazine, while the pao d'alto of Brazil is properly known as garlic wood.

## CHURCHES

### JACKSON STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST

Prof James C. Dixon of Falkville will preach on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. at the Jackson Street Church of Christ. J. Pettie Ezell is also preaching holding religious service.

### SOUTHSIDE BAPTIST

G. C. Walker, Pastor.  
9:45 Sunday School.  
Evening services at the Tabernacle.  
11:00 Sermon By the Pastor, Subject: "Service in the name of Jesus."

### WEST SIDE PRESBYTERIAN

T. J. Halfacre, Pastor.  
Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.  
Preaching at 11 o'clock. Special Sermon.  
No evening service at church.  
All cordially invited to attend morning service.

### CHURCH OF GOD

6 Ave. and 4 street South.  
L. E. Hall, Pastor.  
Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.  
Preaching 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.  
Morning Subject "Making Sure of Heaven".  
Everybody is invited to come and worship with us.

### FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

J. H. McWhirter, Minister.  
Next Lord's Day we have regular full day; Bible school 9:45, preaching at 11, and out at noon. The subject: "The Parting of the Ways." The signed up chorus for our church in the evangelistic meetings in the tabernacle, will please sing for us Sunday. We will appreciate that. Every body bring a friend and a smile and good cheer.

### DECATUR BAPTIST CHURCH

11 A. M. Special Sermon. Subject—"We Have Found The Messiah."  
3 P. M. Meeting for girls from 12 to 24 years of age addressed by Mrs. Lauren Jones.

Every member of the church and congregation expected to be in his place tomorrow.

C. C. Davison, Pastor.

### WILLOUGHBY

F. J. Tyler, Pastor.  
Subject for Sunday, 11 a. m., "The Raising of Lazarus from the Dead and its Lesson to us."

### WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN

L. F. Goodwin, Pastor.  
The pastor will preach at 11 A. M. Bible School at 9:30 A. M.  
Welcome All.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, ALBANY

R. F. Stuckey, Pastor.  
11: A. M. Sermon by Pastor, subject, "Necessity, Means and Test of Conversion".  
9:45 Sunday School, C. L. Buck, Supt.

1:30 P. M. Sunbeam Band will meet. Mrs. T. W. Mitchell, leader.  
2:15 P. M. Jr. B. Y. P. U., Walter Fields, leader.

All other services for the day called off in favor of the meetings at the Bob Jones Tabernacle.

### HERE'S NEW IDEA OF BIGAMY

Did His Pleasant Home Life Inspire Much-Wed Man to Seek Even More Happiness?

Hercules, the apartment house porter, was deep in a newspaper when Mrs. Uptown entered the lobby and he scarcely looked up when she spoke to him while waiting for the elevator to come from the upper floors, says the New York Sun. Finally he laid down the paper with a sigh. Mrs. Uptown noticed what he had been reading.

"Strange case, wasn't it, Hercules—the man who had two wives for thirty years?" she remarked.

"It beats me, it does, ma'am," admitted Hercules, with a faraway look in his eyes. "Just think he got away with it so long, he did. I'll bet he never talked in his sleep, he didn't, ma'am."

"I suppose his widows feel pretty bad, now they've found it all out," commented Mrs. Uptown, giving the elevator button another push.

"They shouldn't feel bad, they shouldn't," affirmed Hercules. "The first one should think that she made such a nice home that he wanted to increase his happiness by having another."

"And the second should think that of all the other women in the world he picked her out to bring more joy into his life, she should. It was a compliment to them both, it was."

"Is your married life happy, Hercules?" asked Mrs. Uptown.

"It is that," replied the porter. "Well, shall we expect you to—"

"Oh, no, ma'am," said Hercules, glancing over his shoulder to make sure nobody was listening. "It's a compliment to the ladies—but I'd rather be rude, I would."

### Hairs in A Violin Bow

The number of hairs in a violin bow was formerly from 80 to 100 in France; but now it is customary to have the hair ribbon broader, and this, therefore, requires 175 to 250 single hairs. These must be at least 26 inches long. Tourte bestowed great care on the selection of bow-hair, preferring the French horse-hair. A great deal of bow-hair comes from Russian horses.

## Largest Crowd in Revival's History

(Continued From Page 1.)

a solo by Loren Jones, the sentiment of which was: "I am satisfied with Jesus, is He satisfied with me?" The choir loft was full of singers, as was every available space in the other parts of the tabernacle, with people standing on all sides, and the special section for the negroes full.

Night before last and last night negro singers sang a number of hymns, and their effort seemed greatly appreciated. Mr. Haymaker made interesting announcement giving the special programs to be rendered next week. Mr. Jones restated his desire and hope for a large turn out of women this afternoon at 4, when he said that he would deliver the address he made at the National Purity Convention, held in Kansas City some years ago, and that much of the material in it, was gathered in company with a New York Herald reporter, when the two made an extended visit to the slums of New York city.

Stressed the 3 o'clock Men's Meeting. Mr. Jones said that no service would be held at the tabernacle tomorrow morning, as every church member was expected to attend his own church service, but that 3 o'clock sharp in the afternoon he would meet the men of this district, and all boys who were over 14 years of age, when his subject will be: "The Sins of Men". Mrs. Bob Jones speaks to married women, and girls over 21 Sunday at 3 o'clock at the Central M. E. Church, Albany and Mrs. Loren Jones to girls, 14 to 21 at the same hour at the Decatur Baptist church.

In the course of his sermon Mr. Jones said that there might be special work for Christians, but that there was one service all could and must do, namely do personal work. He said the only directions were "Just go on and do it."

He denounced those who did not ask their fellow men to accept Christ, and said they were worse than men would be who made no effort to rescue people from a burning building.

"The greatest benefactor that ever graced God's universe, is a soul winner," said the speaker. He declared that the idea of it taking different kinds of preaching for different people, was false for the reason that all people were essentially alike. He said said no one in the Twin Cities, because they had "a little sense and a little polish", need to feel elated a bit, as they knew where came from, and that if they "did not come from here, their parents did". The preacher evidently having reference to the country districts.

"There never has been a man that was worth while for God, that was not a hustler. Let me tell you, you church fellows have got to pull off your coats, roll up your sleeves and get busy. I have found that there is no such thing as a man being full of self and self consciousness who has a passion for righteousness and realizes that we are living in a world full of the conflagration of sin". The audience was reminded that it would do to take chances with their money, or even with their health some times, but under no circumstances would it do, to take chances with ones immortal soul.

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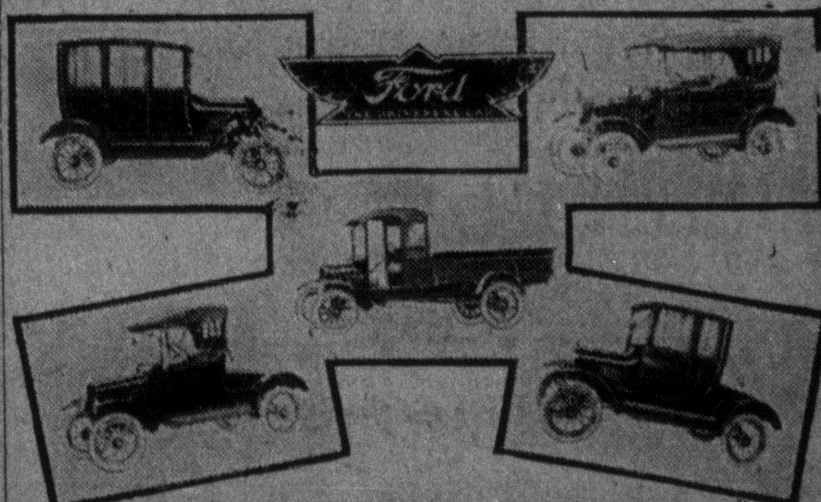
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(Comptroller's Call)

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$471,784.55	Capital Stock.....\$200,000.00
Overdrafts, secured.....7,107.91	Surplus.....40,000.00
Overdrafts, unsecured.....101.49	Undivided Profits.....13,263.79
Liberty Loan Bonds.....72,231.46	Dividend Account.....222.50
U. S. Bonds.....200,000.00	Circulation.....196,400.00
Other Bonds.....2,000.00	Reserved for Taxes.....1,890.00
Premium on Bonds.....5,225.83	Reserved for Interest.....1,000.00
5% Redemption Fund.....10,000.00	Unearned Interest.....3,165.33
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank.....7,200.00	Deposits.....499,103.75
Furniture and Fixtures.....16,544.17	
Accrued Interest.....2,878.59	
Real Estate Owned.....823.10	
Other Assets.....17,282.50	
Cash and due from Banks.....141,864.97	
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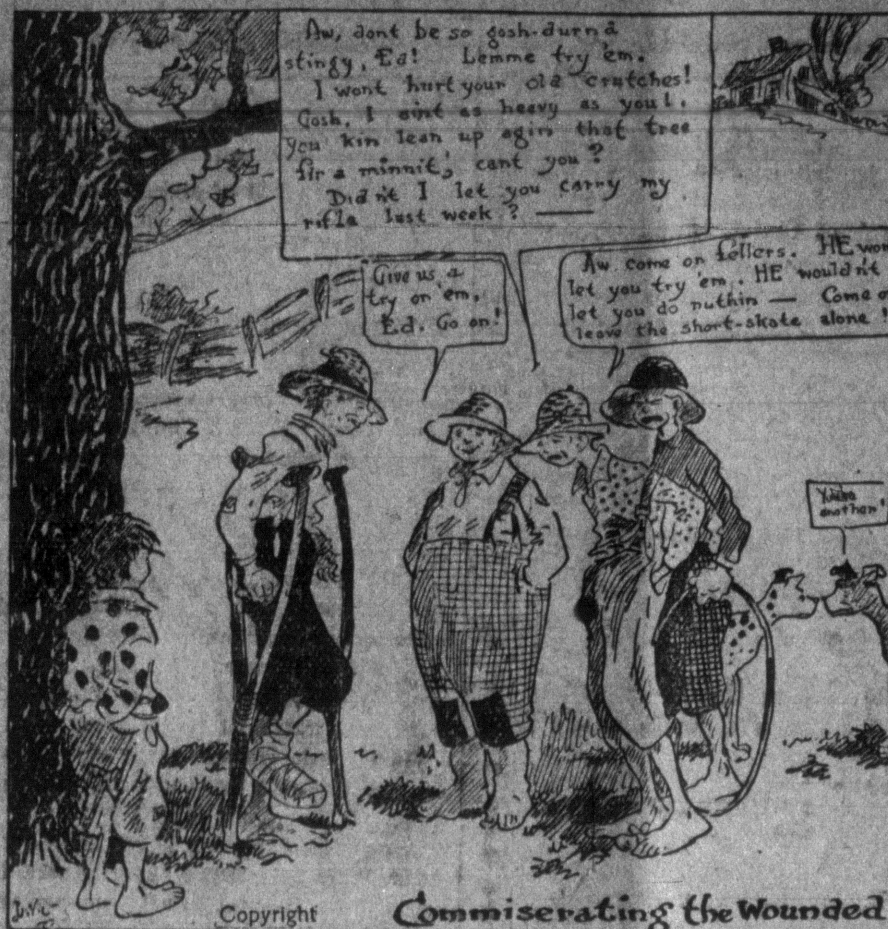
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## SCHOOL DAYS



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### Character Tags.

A professor says that a man's character is shown in little things, such as by the way he carries his umbrella. Also, we may add, by the way he carries off your umbrella.—Boston Transcript.

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## PERSONALS

George Namie is the guest of relatives in Nashville.

Edwin Wiggins left this week to accept a position as assistant cashier for the Alabama Power Co., in Birmingham.

Asbury Malone is in Chattanooga.

George Harvey has gone to Bell Buckle to attend school the approaching term.

Congressman Edward B. Almon will arrive here next week to visit friends and relatives.

Mack Patterson, of Montgomery, is visiting relatives and friends here.

Wilma Wise has returned from Memphis, where he spent his vacation with relatives.

Schmyler Owen, of Anniston, has accepted a position with his uncle, Lester Sheffield, here.

Carl Arantz is spending his vacation with relatives in Lexington, Ky. and Cincinnati, O.

Barrett Shelton leaves tonight for Lexington, Va., to re-enter Washington-Lee, where he attended college last year.

## SOCIETY NEWS

Margaret C. Shelton—Phone Decatur 352

### COTTON SHOWER

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Kenneth Thomas, nee Miss Hartung, was complimented by Miss Mabel Eubanks. The home was festooned in cotton carrying out the uniform idea of a cotton shower.

Miss Thomas costume wore blue tricotine and charmeuse with accessories.

The musical numbers were given by Mrs. Otto Owen, Mrs. Whitley. The readings by Miss Gladys Bernardi and Mrs. Whitley.

The little wagon embedded in cotton was drawn by Marvin Eubanks weighted with lovely gifts for the bride.

A delicious iced course was served.

### THOMAS-HARTUNG

There occurred in Nashville Friday morning at eight o'clock, the marriage of Miss Mabel Hartung and Mr. Kenneth E. Thomas. The wedding was solemnized at the home of the Rev. James E. Clark on Arlington avenue.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Mr. Henry Hartung. She wore a girlish costume of grey, canton crepe with harmonizing accessories, and carried a bouquet of pink roses. She was attended by her sister, Mrs. Burns Kelly, of Huntsville, wearing midnight blue georgette, with corsage of sweetheart roses. Mr. Paul Thomas served his brother as best man.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Thomas left for a bridal trip, and upon their return will be at home to their friends in Albany.

Mrs. Hal Mullen, who is in Kentucky, visiting relatives, will return home next week.

Misses Cleo and Zana Lovin will leave Monday to attend school at Athens College.

The Missionary Society of the Central M. E. church will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. J. L. Gunter.

The Cottage Prayer meetings of the Fifth district was held at the home of Mrs. Ben Stewart, Friday. Mrs. W. A. Pryor was leader and about fifteen were present.

Miss Margaret Harris, of Pulaski is the guest of Miss Ruth Sharpe.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Farnham and daughter are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Drake.

Mr. and Mrs. Atlee Hoff returned Friday from an extended visit to points in the north.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hudson have taken rooms with T. W. Wert on Line street.

Mrs. Carson, of Macon, Ga., is the guest of her sons, Wallace and Dan Carson at the Hilda Hotel.

Miss Clovis Babler is spending her vacation with friends in Nashville and Pulaski, Tenn.

Among those attending the Minstrel show at the Princess Friday night from Hartselle, were Miss Hilda Polyinsky, Eugene Polyinsky, the Misses Hammond, Leon Sharpley, Henry Sherrill and Mr. and Mrs. Gillman Doss.

Miss Lillie Mae Tidwell has returned from a visit to friends in Tulsa, Okla., Tenn.

Miss Alla D. Brown, of Lexington, Ky., who is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Arantz, has returned from a visit to Mrs. Alla D. Johnson in Huntsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Hall, who have been the guests of relatives in Nashville, motored here for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Hall.

Miss Nona Chunn is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. C. W. Williams returned home Friday from a visit to her aunt, Mrs. Nannie Johnson, near Hartselle, who is critically ill.

The Missionary Society, of the First Methodist Church in Decatur, will meet in the Sunday school room Monday at 4 p. m.

Mrs. W. A. Clark and daughter, Miss Helen, have returned from a visit to relatives in Houston, Texas.

Mrs. Sarah Malone has returned from a visit to relatives in New Mexico.

Mrs. W. N. Cowden and daughter, Frances, returned today from a visit to relatives in Lewisburg, Tenn.

Miss Marie Arantz returned Friday from an extended visit to friends at Eastern points and her sister, Mrs. Norman Brown, in Lexington, Ky.

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—Adv. 7-4t

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## SYNOPSIS.

## PART ONE.

roud possessor of a printing press, and agent, the gift of Uncle Joseph to his nephew, Herbert Hargrave, the fortunate one, with his chum, Henry Rooter, out the same age, begins the publication of a full-fledged newspaper, the North End Daily Oriole. Herbert's small cousin, Florence, being barred from any kind of participation in the enterprise, on account of her intense and natural feminine desire to "boast" in her own way, and not at all backward in her own. However, a poem she has written is accepted for insertion in the Oriole, a strictly commercial basis—cash in advance. The poem suffers somewhat in the inexperienced of the youthful publisher in the "art preservative." Her altogether unreasonable demand for publication of the masterpiece, with its only unmarried, one scorned, and the one between, Miss Atwater and the publishers of the Oriole widens. The Sunday following the first appearance of the Oriole, Florence's particular, Mr. Fairchild, pays her a visit. They are joined, despite Miss Atwater's expressed disapproval, by Herbert, Mr. Atwater and Henry Rooter. Not at all disconcerted by the coolness of the reception, the visitors and Miss Fairchild indulge in a series of innocent day games. Among them is one called "truth," the feature of which is a contest to write a question and answer, to be kept a profound secret. The contest is duly carried out.

(Continued from yesterday)

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ven't been away anywhere in particular, Florence." Then, at a thought, brightened hopefully, "I'm glad to see you, Florence. Do you know if any of your family or relatives have heard when your Aunt Julia is coming home?"

"Aunt Julia? Why, she's out of town," said Florence. "She's visiting a friend who she used to know. She was away at school."

"Yes, I know," Mr. Dill returned. "She's been gone six weeks."

"Oh, I don't believe it's that long," Florence said, casually. "Then with your earnestness," Mr. Dill, I was to ask you something; it's kind of a funny question for me to ask, but—"

"Yes, she has," Noble interrupted, with a remark that was a remark of an interruption, for he had been aware of Florence's voice in action for the word "long." "Oh, yes, she has," he said. "It was six weeks, day-before-yesterday afternoon. I saw her father downtown this morning. He said he didn't know that any of your family had heard just when she was coming home. I thought maybe one of your relatives had a letter in her by this afternoon's mail, eh?"

"I guess not," said Florence. "Mr. Dill, there was a question I thought I'd ask you—it's kind of a funny question for me to—"

"Are you sure nobody's heard from your Aunt Julia today?" Noble inquired.

"I guess they haven't," Mr. Dill, I am going to ask you—"

"It's strange," he murmured. "I don't see how people can enjoy visits so long. I should think they'd get anxious about what might happen at home."

"Oh, grandpa's all right; he says he'd like to have the house nice and quiet to himself; and anyway Aunt Julia enjoys visiting," Florence assured him. "Aunt Fanny saw a newspaper from one of the places where Aunt Julia's visiting her school on-mate, that had her picture in it. It called her 'the famous Northern beauty.' It was down South somewhere. Well, Mr. Dill, I was just saying I believed I'd ask you—"

But a sectional rancor seemed to affect the young man all at once. "Oh, yes, I heard about that," he said. "Your Aunt Fanny lent my mother the

newspaper. Those people in that part of the country—well—"

He paused, remembering that it was only Florence he addressed; and he withheld from utterance his opinion that the Civil war ought to be fought all over again. "Your father said your grandfather hadn't heard from her for several days, and even then she hadn't said when she was coming home."

"No, I expect she didn't," said Florence. "Mr. Dill, I was going to ask you something—it's kind of a queer kind of question for me to ask, I guess—"

she paused. However, he did not interrupt her, seeming preoccupied with gloom; whereupon Florence permitted herself a deprecatory laugh and continued: "It might be you'd answer yes, or it might be you'd answer no; but anyway I was going to ask you—it's kind of a funny question for me to ask, I expect—but do you like poetry?"

"What?"

"Well, as things have turned out lately I guess it's kind of a funny question, Mr. Dill; but do you like poetry?"

Noble's expression took on a coldness; for the word brought to his mind a thought of Newland Saunders. This was a poet of Noble's age, who wrote verses to Julia—that too lovely, absent aunt of Florence's. "Do I like poetry?" said Noble. "No, I don't."

Florence was momentarily discouraged but at her age people usually possess an invaluable faculty which they lose later in life; and it is a pity they do lose it. At thirteen—especially the earlier months of thirteen—they are still able to set aside and dismiss from their minds almost any facts, no matter how audibly those facts have asked for recognition. Children superbly allow themselves to become deaf, so to speak, to undesirable circumstances; most frequently, of course, to undesirable circumstances in the way of parental direction; so that fathers, mothers, nurses, or governesses, not comprehending that this mental deafness is for the time being entirely genuine, are liable to hoarseness both of throat and temper. This teen is an age when the fading of this gift or talent—one of the most beautiful of childhood—begins to impair its helpfulness, under the mistaken stress of discipline; but Florence retained something of it. In a moment or two Noble Dill's disaffection toward poetry was altogether as if it did not exist.

She coughed, inclined her head a little to one side, in her mother's manner of politeness to callers, and repeating her deprecatory laugh, remarked, "Well, of course it's kind of a funny question for me to ask, of course."

"What is, Florence?" Noble inquired absently.

"Well, what I was saying was that 'course it's sort of queer me asking if you liked poetry, of course, on account of my writing poetry the way I do now!"

She looked up at him with a bright readiness to respond modestly to whatever exclamation his wonder should dictate; but Noble's attention had straggled again. He failed to comprehend what she had set before him.

"Has she written your mother lately?" he asked.

Florence's expression denoted a mental condition slightly disturbed. "No," she said. "It's going to be printed in the North End Daily Oriole."

"What?"

"My poem. It's about a vast amen—anyhow that's probably the best thing in it, I guess—and they're going to have it tomorrow, or else they'll have to settle with me; that's one thing certain. I'll bring one over to your house and leave it at the door for you, Mr. Dill."

Noble had but a confused notion of what she thus generally promised. However, he said, "Thank you," and nodded vaguely.

"Of course, I don't know as it's so awful good," Florence admitted insincerely. "The family all seem to think it's something pretty much; but I don't know if it is or not. Really, I don't."

"No," said Noble, still confused. "I suppose not."

"I'm half way through another one I think myself'll be a good deal better. I'm not going as fast with it as I did with the other one, and I expect it'll be quite a ways ahead of this one." She again employed the deprecatory little laugh. "I don't know how I do it, myself. The family all think it's sort of funny; I don't know how I do it myself, but that's the way it is. They all say if they could do it they're sure they'd know how they did it; but I guess they're wrong. I presume if you can do it, why it just comes to you? Don't you presume that's the way it is, Mr. Dill?"

"I—guess so." They had reached his gate, and he stopped. "You're sure none of your family have heard anything today?" he asked anxiously.

home when I bring it."

"What?" he shouted, from the vicinity of his front door. "I'll leave it with your mother."

"Leave what?"

"The poem!"

"Oh!" said Noble.

His mother handed him a copy of the first issue of the North End Daily Oriole, the next day when he came

He read it without edification; there was nothing about Julia in it.

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NEWS OF THE CITY

"The Candidates for mayor at the election are Mr. P. N. Gordon and John T. Milo. The contest is very great between these candidates."

"Hickoms chickens got in Mr. Joseph Atwater's yard a god deal lately. He says chickens are out of place in a city of this size."

"Minnie the cook of Mr. F. L. Smith's residence goes downtown every Thursday about three her regular day for it."

"A new ditch is being dug across the Mr. Henry D. Vance backyard. It's about dug but nobody is working there now. Patty Fairchild received the highest mark in declamation of the 7A at Summer School last Friday."

"Balf's grocery wagon ran over a cat of the Mr. Rayfort family. Geo. the driver of the wagon stated he had not but was willing to take it away and bury it somewhere. Geo. stated regret and claimed nothing but an accident which could not be helped and not his team that did the damage."

"Miss Colfield teacher of the 7 A at Summer School was reported on the sick list. We hope she will soon be well."

"There were several deaths in the city this week."

"Mr. Fairchild father of Patty Fairchild was on the sick list several days and did not go to his office but is out now."

"Ben Kriss the chauffeur of the Mr. R. C. Atwater family washes their car on Monday. In using the hose he turned water over the fence accidently and hit Louie (the was Woman)"

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Notice to Parents in Ninth School District

There have been numerous inquiries from patrons in the Ninth School District as to whether their children would be admitted to the Decatur Public School next Monday, Sept. 12. We are authorized today by the County Superintendent to state that satisfactory financial arrangements will be made for them, and according we will receive without fees or tuition for the present such pupils from the Ninth District as wish to attend the Decatur Public School.

We make this statement now so that they may enter with their classes on the first day.

W. W. BENSON,  
Superintendent-Sec'y.  
D. D. McGEHEE,  
Chairman Board of Education.

ALL-DAY SONG SERVICE  
AT BASHAM CHAPEL

On the fourth Sunday in September there will be an all-day singing at Basham Chapel with Prof. J. Felton Legg as chairman. Everybody invited to come and bring song books and well filled lunch baskets. Come and let's have a good song service.

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City Will Observe  
Employment Week

(International News Service)  
SAVANNAH, Ga., Sept. 10.—In an effort to reduce unemployment in this city local citizens today designated the week of September 12 as "unemployment week" and Mayor Stewart has issued a proclamation soliciting the aid of all citizens in relieving the unemployment situation. Copies of the proclamation were sent to Atlanta. Business men and industrial corporations have been urged to cooperate in making unemployment week the beginning of a new era.

SENECA SPRINGS WATER.  
All you can drink for 5c at Drug Stores. 16-17

## STATEMENT

## The Tennessee Valley Bank

JUNE 30, 1921

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$2,927,764.55	Capital Stock.....\$ 161,800.00
Overdrafts.....2,015.95	Surplus Fund.....161,800.00
Banking Houses (16).....90,500.00	Undivided Profits.....\$45,122.68
Furniture and Fixtures (16).....36,750.00	Reserve for Depreciation 16,356.62
Real Estate.....9,792.50	61,479.29
Stocks and Bonds.....141,244.00	Bills Payable.....580,000.00
Cash and due from Banks.....290,409.31	Rediscouts.....23,450.00
	Deposits.....2,509,947.01
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James A. Hurst, Deceased, Estate of.  
Probate Court, Morgan county.

Letters of administration upon the  
estate of said decedent, having been  
granted to the undersigned on the  
16th day of August, 1921, by the Hon.  
L. P. Troup, Judge of the Probate  
Court of Morgan County, notice is  
hereby given, that all persons having  
claims against said estate, will be re-  
quired to present the same within the  
time allowed by law, or that the same  
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ALBERT L. HURST,  
Administrator

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That's the Reason

By  
PERCY L. CROSBY

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#### Railroad Briefs About Town

##### SAW DOCTOR THOMPSON

C. A. Hitch, Boiler Shop Foreman  
has just returned from Clifton Forge,  
Va., where he spent his vacation with  
his son, Clyde, who is Master Me-  
chanic, for the C. & O. Railroad at  
that place. When he found that Dr.

R. H. Thompson, formerly Secretary  
of the R. R. Y. M. C. A. here was  
now "Y" secretary for the R. R.  
Association at Clifton Forge, Mr.  
Hitch sought him out and first of all  
struck "Dock" a resounding blow on  
the back. It appeared from Mr.  
Hitch's statement that a large park  
surrounds the "Y" and that a number  
of bathing resorts, ball diamonds,  
tennis courts and the like are a part  
of the Y program. These new amuse-  
ments were added by Secretary  
Thompson. Mr. Hitch said that he  
was the guest of Mr. Thompson at a  
Kiwanis club dinner, and was called  
on for a speech. Feeling sure his  
hearers would enjoy hearing his  
popular Mr. Thompson was at the  
Albany Y. M. C. A. he said that he  
have a brief statement of his work  
here, and how the war finally drove  
him away, first to France and later to  
the Sheffield Y. M. C. A., which was  
later burned. Mr. Hitch said the  
former secretary expressed great af-  
fection for the Y. M. C. A. people here  
and that it was with regret that he  
left Albany.

##### Is Heavy and Weighs His Words

Jim Early, Machinist's Helper, tip  
the beam at around 250, and weigh  
his words when he speaks. He said  
"I heard Bob Jones when he was here  
before. He got on your kind of peo-  
ple as well as mine. When Mr. Jones  
first arrived, he was asked to make  
a public statement, in behalf of a dis-  
pensary, as opposed to the saloons.  
These were church members. Bob told  
them something, and let the matter  
drop. But a few days after his tent  
meeting was in full swing, he stood up  
and told the audience that as he  
noticed all the church members who  
wanted him to speak for a liquor dis-  
pensary were present, wished to have  
a few words with them—that he was  
sure none of them would get up and  
go out no matter what he said, as if  
they did, the crowd would find out  
who they were. Bob said he was told,  
that if the people got the revenue  
from the sale of booze, that they  
would have plenty for the schools,  
could repair and paint their churches  
and could put carpets on the floors  
and could pay their pastors better, for  
if the saloons were closed, and no re-  
venue derived, the towns would be  
'ruined.' I recall that Bob told them  
that he would be glad to speak in  
favor of 'prohibition'; but 'no dis-  
pensary business for him.' He looked  
the dispensary people over and told  
them that in his opinion, since they  
were willing for the towns to go into  
the whiskey business, that he believed  
they would like to go into it them-  
selves, if they were not afraid of what  
people would say."

Carmen Barney and Aud Keltner  
have returned after a visit to Ten-  
nessee.

Alvie Alfrey and family have re-  
turned after a visit to Morehouse,  
Mo. Mr. Alfrey says the land and  
crops are fine out there, but the  
drinking water bad.

Will Johnson has returned from De-  
troit, where he was shown over the  
auto plant of Henry Ford.

P. J. Weatherly has returned home  
after a visit to his daughter at Bes-  
semer.

W. P. Stovall, Carman, has accepted  
a job with the F. E. C. R. R. at St.  
Augustine.

G. M. Goodman, machinist of Ma-  
chine shop has returned from his va-  
cation.

R. R. Durrett and family spent  
Monday in Columbia, Tenn.

Lawrence Otto, machinist, has re-  
turned to work after a brief illness.

John Longier, apprentice of ma-  
chine shop, spent the week end in  
Birmingham and Amery, Miss.

W. M. Thomas, helper in the ma-  
chine shop, is off, sick.

Johnnie Zanvitt, apprentice in the  
machine shop, has returned from a  
visit to Nashville, Tenn.

Billie O'Connell formerly a Boiler  
maker here, is visiting his parents.

Joe Boteler, machinist in the round  
house, spent Sunday and Monday in  
Nashville.

Frank Frohoff, formerly a machin-  
ist here, is now employed by the  
Illinois Central shops at Memphis.

B. Brisby, helper in the machine  
shop, spent Monday with his family  
in Pleasant Grove, Tenn.

Shates, machinist, has been  
off, sick.

W. E. Spain, formerly apprentice  
here, is now business agent for the  
machinists in Birmingham.

A. B. McDuff of the machine shop,  
spent Sunday and Monday in Nash-  
ville.

Tom Kelley, apprentice in the ma-  
chine shop spent Monday in Trafford,  
Ala.

C. J. Hardaman, machinist, spent  
the week end in Birmingham.

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